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## Hello, Everyone:

Well, ya'll, it's a short week, so "What's Up Doc" will be equally short. I am writing this on Monday, December 21, the shortest day of the year, and also George's (my Dad's) birthday. He is 84 today. Get this: he does volunteer work on Mondays. He goes to the nursing home to visit the old people there, and to help with the weekly Mass that is offered there. He says the old folks really appreciate seeing someone younger to come visit them. What a hoot!

We had a very nice Christmas party on Saturday evening. Thanks to Scott Peyton and his wife Letitia from the Opelousas office, Steve Neef and his wife Juanita from the Lafayette office, Simon Sarpy and his wife Frances from the Natchitoches office, and Vernon Foy and his wife Cynthia from Swanson for making it to the party. We also had about 50 or so from the Baton Rouge area, and it was quite nice. We danced the night away (until 9:30!). The food was delicious and a good time was had by all. Thanks to Gwen Brinkley Jones for all the work she did to put it together for us. I think we'll do it again next year!

The sun is shining today! Yea, what a gift the good weather is. We'll take it! A lot of people are taking this week off, so for those of you who are off, I hope you are really enjoying yourselves. The rest of us are enjoying the holidays from our offices. Wherever you are, may the spirit of the holidays lift you up!

Please be careful during the holidays. There will be a lot of people on the roads who are sleepy, or tipsy, or just down right drunk. So watch out for the other guy.

Wishing you all a very Merry Christmas! And as always, thanks for all you do to keep our communities safe, and to help our kids to become law abiding citizens.

Peace,

"Doc"

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